UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
HOUSTON DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	§	
	§	
v.	§	Criminal No. H-07-65 (03, 06)
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JOEL HERNALDO PAREDES-GOMEZ	§	
also known as "Media"	§	
JOHN ALEX MARROQUIN-PATINO	§	
also known as "Jota"	§	

GOVERNMENT'S UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE OF SENTENCING

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

COMES NOW the United States of America, hereinafter referred to as "the Government," by and through its Attorney and Assistant United States Attorney assigned to this matter, and would respectfully show the Court the following:

I.

The above-styled and numbered cause is set for a Sentencing hearing on the above defendants on February 8, 2013 at 10:00 am. The United States respectfully requests that the hearing be continued for the reason that the Government’s counsel assigned to this case is scheduled to be out of the country on this date. The United States additionally requests the hearing be continued to February 22, 2013, which is the Sentencing hearing date for co-defendant #05, Aurora Ruiz.

II.

Consequently, the United States requests that this hearing be continued to February 22, 2013, or to another date convenient to the Court.

Respectfully submitted,

KENNETH MAGIDSON
UNITED STATES ATTORNEY

s/ James Sturgis
JAMES STURGIS
Assistant United States Attorney

CERTIFICATE OF CONFERENCE

On the 4th of December, 2012, I contacted the offices of Wendell A. Odom, Jr., attorney for defendant Joel Hernaldo Paredes-Gomez and Stephen J. Golembe, attorney for defendant John Alex Marroquin-Patino, about the foregoing Motion for Continuance of the Sentencing, and they were unopposed.

s/ James Sturgis
JAMES STURGIS
Assistant United States Attorney

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that on this the 4th day of December, 2012, a true and correct copy of the foregoing Motion was electronically delivered via ECF to attorneys Wendell A. Odom, Jr. and Stephen J. Golembe.

s/ James Sturgis
JAMES STURGIS
Assistant United States Attorney